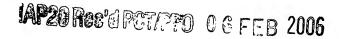
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/FO/US)

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER

CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION DO THOWAY See 37 GFR 1.5)		
	NTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED		
PCT/EP2004/007351	· 7 June 2004	8 July 2003		
TITLE OF INVENTION Container Treatment Machine				
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Karl Griesbeck				
	es Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/	/US) the following items and other information:		
1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.				
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.				
This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.				
4. The US has been elected (Article 31).				
5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2))				
a. x is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).				
b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.				
c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).				
6. X An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).				
a. 🗙 is attached hereto.				
b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 37 (c)(3))				
a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).				
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.				
c. have not been made; however, th	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.			
d. have not been made and will not be made.				
8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).				
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).				
An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).				
Items 11 to 20 below concern docume	ent(s) or information included:			
11. X An Information Disclosure Statemen		<u>~</u>		
2. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.				
3. x A preliminary amendment.				
14. X An Application Data Sheet under 37	CFR 1.76.			
15. x A substitute specification.				
	6. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.			
7. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.				
18. A second copy of the published Inter	• •			
19. A second copy of the English langua	age translation of the international ap	pplication under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).		
	- 15 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			



PTO-1390 (Rev. 07-2005) Approved for use through 03/31/2007. OMB 0651-0021

U. S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 0 156753 Other items or information: PCT/EP2004/007351 30071/41834 -General Authorization, Application Data Sheet; PCT Forms 101, 105, 210. 220 and 237 The following fees have been submitted **CALCULATIONS PTO USEONLY** Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))......\$300 21. x 300.00 22. x Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c)) If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)...... \$0 \$ 200.00 All other situations\$200 Search fee (37 CFR 1.492(b)) If the written opinion of the ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$0

Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority. \$100 \$ 500.00 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB......\$400 All other situations.. TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 = 1,000.00 Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. Number of each additional 50 or fraction RATE **Total Sheets** Extra Sheets thereof (round up to a whole number) - 100 = *1*50 = x \$250.00 \$ Surcharge of \$130 for furnishing any of the search fee, examination fee, or the oath or declaration \$ after the date of commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)). **CLAIMS** NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE 8 - 20 = 0.00 Total claims 0.00 Independent claims 1 - 3 = x MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) **TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:** 1,000.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2. SUBTOTAL = \$ 1,000.00 Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest \$ claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)). 1,000.00 **TOTAL NATIONAL FEE:** \$ Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property + \$ \$ **TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED** 1,000.00 Amount to be \$ refunded: Amount to be \$ charged

10/567532 IAP20 Reg'd PCT/PTO 0 6 FEB 2006

PTO-1390 (Rev. 07-2005)
Approved for use through 03/31/2007. OMB 0651-0021
U. S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. 1,000.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. a. X A check in the amount of \$ Please charge my Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit 13-2855 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038 NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed an granted to restore the International Application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Richard B. Hoffman NAME CUSTOMER NUMBER: 04743 26,910 REGISTRATION NUMBER

Application No. (if known):

Attorney Docket No.: 30071/41834

AP20 Rec'd PCT/PTO 0 6 FEB 2006

Certificate of Express Mailing Under 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail, Airbill No. EV 533621641 US in an envelope addressed to:

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

on	February 6, 2006
	Date

Q_{ϵ}		
Šigr	nature	
· / Juan (Quintero	
Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate		
N/A	(312) 474-6300	
Registration Number, if applicable	Telephone Number	

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of mailing, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated-Elected Office (2 pages)

Application Data Sheet

Specification Cover Sheet (1 page)
Specification excluding claims (2 pages)
Substitute Specification (marked-up copy)
Substitute Specification (clean copy)

Substitute Specification (clean copy)

8 claims (1 page) Abstract (1 page) 2 drawings (1 sheet)

Information Disclosure Statement

Copies of Information Disclosure Citations

Preliminary Amendment

Claim for Priority General Authorization Postcard Receipt

Check in the amount of \$1,000.00